

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Zigmans, et al

Examiner: Huyen D. Le

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Title: DEVICE FOR TREATING A SURFACE, IN PARTICULAR A LEATHER  
SURFACE, SUCH AS THAT OF LEATHER SHOES

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated August 1, 2007, Applicants hereby elect Group 1, (claims 1-22), and species 2, directed to Figs. 2-3, without traverse. Claims 1-12 and 18-22 are the claims encompassing the elected species.

Any questions regarding this communication should be directed to the undersigned attorney at (952) 253-4106.

Respectfully submitted,

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